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# Recent Safety Awards For Y-12 Were Made Because Of Individual Efforts

Literally, millions of dollars are | not good enough. One accident is spent annually on safety devices to protect people at work, at home and on the highway. There are word here. seat belts, guards, shields, gloves, What the flashing lights, white line, yellow lines, sirens, signals and a host of others designed to protect people from almost every hazard known and some unknown. These tools of safety, no doubt, contribute greatly to the well-being of millions of Americans each year. But there is one device—the best in the world-that must be utilized if we are to remain safe at home and at work. This device is the individual.

In recent honors heaped upon Y-12 for its safety performance last year, it was emphasized that the individual in the plant was the real recipient of the National Safety Council, Atomic Energy Commission, and Union Carbide Corporation plaques . . . all handsome witnesses of the plant's safety efforts. Last year, Y-12 totaled 11,391,518 man-hours worked, with only two disabling injuries, for a frequency rate of 0.18.. the lowest in the plant's history! (1969's frequency rate could be cut even lower than that. Through midnight Sunday, August 17, we have worked 268 days for approximately 8,741,000 man-hours, without a single disabling injury.)

Compare Y-12's frequency rate to industry as a whole. In 1968, a frequency rate of 7.35 was reported to the National Safety Council with a chemical industry rate of 3.74 frequency of accidents per million man-hours. This makes our safety record more than 35 times better than industry as a whole . . . or 20 times better than the chemical industry's safety rec-

one too many, the frequently stated philosophy of Y-12, is still the

What then of this device known as the individual? Its value is so great that no price has ever been put on it. Yet, at the same time, as a means to safety, it is free. Let's examine it closely to see what can make visual observations better than any camera, detect sound, sense temperature, and analyze air and liquid samples. The most important function, however, is something no machine has ever been able to do-it can think.

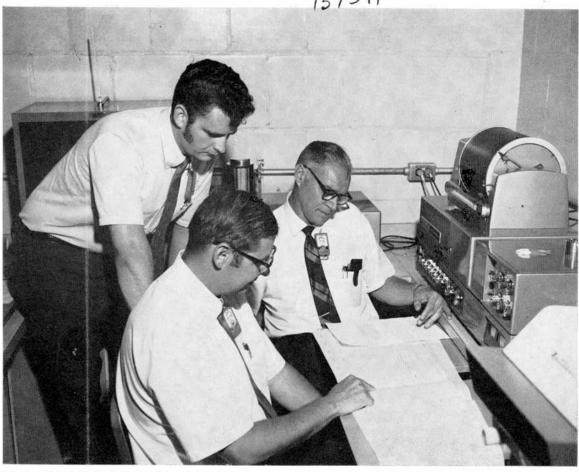
But you, a walking, breathing, and (hopefully) thinking safety device, are no good to yourself or anybody else unless you utilize your God-given capabilities. If used properly, they can protect you from serious injury. If neglected, all the safety devices and rules in the world cannot prevent you from being hurt.

The human body and brain is a marvelous, complicated mechanism and is worthy of the highest respect. Protect it, and most of all—use it, because it is the best safety device in the world.

The Safety Department has mounted the plaques on a handsome sandwich-type display board which will tour the plant. They will be displayed at all of Y-12's portals. Safety says . . . read it plaques . . . and take pride in them . . . after all YOU earned

#### ULTERIOR MOTIVE

Psychiatrists who advise parents to spend more time with their children are sly ones. All they're trying to do is drum up more business!



R. H. LIDDLE, LEFT, and J. M. McIntyre, center, Development Division; along with E. T. Creech, Plant Laboratory, examine analytical data pertaining to the composition of the

# **Pre-Flight Decontamination Still** Goes On For Lunar Boxes For NASA

Although the Apollo 11 flight is | history, Y-12 support to the Apolhardware to be used in future moon landing missions.

This rigorous decontamination | rocks are truly from the moon and operation, conducted in a Y-12 sulo program continues with the per clean room, is performed to pre-flight decontamination of lu-remove earth dirt that might inremove earth dirt that might innar sample boxes and associated terfere with an accurate analysis of lunar geological specimens.

When the cleaning operation is completed, a portion of the final rinse in benzene is forwarded to Y-12's Plant Laboratory for analysis and future reference. Infrared spectroscopy and gas chromatography techniques are used to determine the relative quantities of various chemical compounds contained in the rinse.

The analysis permits scientists performing investigations of the lunar rocks to know which chemical compounds they find in the

Joel W. Garber, Y-12's Physical

Testing, will speak at a noon

meeting next Tuesday, August 26,

at the Johnson City Rotary Club. The subject of his speech will

be the "Apollo Lunar Samples

Return Container Program High-

lights." Garber played a promi-

Garber Gives Lunar

Talk At Johnson City

which were merely residues which originated on earth.

Decontamination operations are directed by J. M. McIntyre and R. H. Liddle, Chemistry Development Department, Development Division. Analytical operations on the moonbox cleaning residue are directed by E. T. Creech and N. J. Williams, Y-12 Plant Laboratory.

# **Johnson Writes** Journal Article

Statistical Services Department's Eric E. Johnson is featured

in the August 11 issue of Chemical Engineering.

Johnson authored an article in the Plant Notebook section, entitled "Curve Fitting Easily Done with Hyperbol-



ic Equation."

The three-page treatise is illustrated with graphs, equations and

#### **Kumar Is Seminar** Speaker This Friday

nent role in the physical of the Apollo moon boxes.

seminar will feature Krishna Kumar, ORNL Neutron Physics Division. His subject will be "The Beta-Gamma-Dependence of Nu-

The seminar is scheduled for Friday, August 22, at 3:15 p.m. at the East Auditorium, ORNL's 4500

This week's Physics Division clear Collective Hamiltonian."

#### SAFETY SCOREBOARD

The Y-12 Plant Has Operated

268 Days Or 8,741,000 Man-Hours Through August 17

Without A Disabling Injury SAFETY AT HOME, AT WORK, AT PLAY



EMPLOYEES IN BUILDINGS, GROUNDS, and Maintenance Shops, admire the display of 1968 Safety Awards made to Y-12ers by the National Safety Council, the Atomic Energy Commission, and Union Carbide Corporation. From left are R. W. Pressley, F. D. Bradburn, W. P. Moore, C. H. Crockett, C. F. Keylon, John Blackburn and J. T. Calhoun. The display will be shown at each portal in Y-12. 'It is an individual award made to every employee,' emphasized the Safety Department.

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# Curnutt Son Will Serve In Congress



Gary Curnutt

Gary Curnutt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Curnutt Jr., 508 Scenic Drive, Clinton, has been appointed by the United States Congress to serve as a page for two weeks while Congress is in session. He will be notified when to report to Washington, D.C. for duty

Gary is a rising junior at Clinton High School and has served as president of the Elementary Student Council, president of his sophomore class, president of the Elementary Student Council, president of his sophomore class, president of Clinton's Young Republicans and other offices. He rethe Good Citizenship Award last year and was invited washed up anyway!

# **Nuclear Devices Ideal For Space**

Two ounces of radioactive plutonium heat the 100-pound seismic device Apollo 11 astronauts left on the moon where temperatures drop to as low as 250 degrees below zero.

The seismometer, which will relay information on any motion or moonquakes back to earth, will operate at least a year. A heater is required because few instruments can survive the cold and long 360-hour lunar nights.

The isotopic heater was developed by the Atomic Energy Commission for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

The atomic heater is one of several space applications of nuclear energy being developed by the AEC, including: nuclear rocket engines, life support systems, and an atomic generator which will supply power to an unmanned experiment station on the moon.

Dr. Glenn T. Seaborg, AEC chairman and co-discoverer of the manmade element plutonium, says that "to advance beyond the exciting success of Apollo flights will mean sending payloads on manned and unmanned missions to the planets by nuclear rockets." Such a rocket engine has already been ground-tested for a longer time than required for a round trip to Mars.

"Nuclear devices will provide power in space for a wide range of jobs," Dr. Seaborg notes, "from communications to recycling waste in the space capsule into fresh water for astronauts.'

The seismometer heater was fabricated by Mound Laboratory, Miamisburg, Ohio, which is operated for the AEC by Monsanto Research Corporation.

to attend the inauguration of President Nixon.

Gary belongs to several clubs at school and is active in 4-H Club All-Stars, Honor Club and has won 56 ribbons, and 10 medals. He attended the 4-H exchange program for a week in Stillwater, Oklahoma. At the 4-H Round-Up at U.T he was an alternate district

winner in the forestry project. Gary's father is in Y-12's Dispatching Department.

# NO SHOWERS TODAY

The reason they never give the groom a shower





CONGRATULATIONS TO ASSEMBLYMEN in the Assembly Division who have completed the 12-week training course. In the top photograph, from left, are A. L. Evans, M. N. Wilkerson Jr., R. L. Smith, L. A. Meade, R. R. Suttles, R. C. Burress, W. L. Rooks and R. E. Myers. In the lower photo are T. J. Todd, C. B. Orr, K. L. Hall, G. W. Poole, R. L. McCulley and R. E. Myers. Not present when the photograph was made were T. J. Gent and W. H. Borum.

#### REASONABLE EXCUSE

A mother, her arms filled with bundles, got on the bus with her five-year-old daughter. The girl paid the two fares with great pride. Then she felt an explanation to the driver was necessary. In a clear, strong voice she explained, "I'm paying the fare today because my mother is load-

Safety's always in season.

# **Huddeston Sons** Serve Air Force

The Charles L. Huddleston family is a U.S. Air Force family all the way! Both sons are active in the air force . . . the oldest one a staff sergeant due to end two enlistments August 15. On discharge he will enroll at the University of Tennessee. That's Hugh L., a staff sergeant at Plattsburgh AFB, New York.

Hugh took basic eight years ago at Lackland AFB, Texas, and has been stationed all over. He has completed a year's tour in Vietnam, and has been in upstate New York for the past two and onehalf years. He graduated from Karns High School in 1960.

Young Robert Huddleston has been in the Air Force only 14 months. He also took his basic in Texas and is presently stationed in New Mexico. He took special training at Denver, Colorado.

Robert graduated from Karns High School the third of June, 1968 . . . and took the oath of office in the Air Force on the 17th. His proud father witnessed both events.

Huddleston, in Buildings, Grounds and Maintenance Shops, lives at Andes Road, Route 18, Knoxville. They have two daughters . . . both married.



SSgt. Hugh L. Huddleston



A-1/C Robert A. Huddleston

#### Contact Lens Should **Not Be Worn Sometimes**

Contact lens should not be worn in dusty areas, in chemical laboratories, or on other jobs where exposure to chemicals or chemical fumes is likely, warns the Y-12 Safety Department. Employees thin -

cle of metal or chemical substance trapped under a contact lens with disastrous results. Irrigation in such cases is fruitless unless the contact lens is first removed.

#### HELPFUL WORRY

Worry will make almost anyone except those who worry have been known to have a partiabout being fat!



CERTIFICATES ARE ISSUED to men who completed the True Positioning course in Inspection by Tommy Douglass, left. From his left are G. F. Cozart, P. R. Hitson, A. D. Shulte and O. M. Freels. Seated from left are H. E. Wright, A. J. Naleppa, J. D. Brown, H. F. Kidd, O. R. Chambers and L. T. Murphy.

# Melton Green Lead Still Babb-Baker

Babb-Baker made sure nobody was taking the Melton Hill Golf League lead away from them last week by overcoming Ferguson-Winstead six points. Also taking big ones were Pagano-Tuck over the Sewells, Tiller-Clabough over Carter - Butler, Sherrod - Wyrick past Nixdorf-Holdaway . . . and Ellis-Ridings by Roberts-Cook (by forfeit).

Posting five were Riggs-McElroy by Morehead-Poly, Parrott-Parker past Dunaway-Wright, Stinnett-Ladd by Wright-Butler and Phillips-Alvey over Gresham-

League standings follow:

Team	w
Babb-Baker	59
Riggs-McElroy	54
Pagano-Tuck	53
Wright-Butler	51
Tiller-Clabough	51
Parrott-Parker	47
Stinnett-Ladd	46
Phillips-Alvey	41
Sherrod-Wyrick	41
Sewell-Sewell	36
	35
Gresham-Bell	
Dunaway-Wright	34
Ferguson-Winstead	33
Ellis-Ridings	32
Nixdorf-Holdaway	28
Carter-Butler	25
Morehead-Poly	25
Roberts-Cook	11

# Y-12er's Son Is Honored In Guard



Lt. David G. Noe

Special honors came recently to Lt. David G. Noe, son of Mrs. Ruth Gallardo, ORNL Chemical Services. He received the "Best Motor Pool" plaque for the AFT (Active Field Training) 69 Georgia National Guard E.O.H. Troops.

Lt. Noe is motor officer for the 138th Medical Company, clearing, from Atlanta, Georgia.

He graduated from Georgia Military Academy in July, 1967.

Noe is married to Patricia Ballew Noe . . . daughter of the late H. J. Ballew. They live in Riverdale, Georgia and have three chil-

Noe was with C Battery in the Oak Ridge Guard Unit while here. He attended all 12 years of school in Oak Ridge.

#### Cowen-O'Neal New Whittle Tee-Tops

Cowen-O'Neal swept past Norris-Smeltzer to assume the lead in the Whittle Springs Golf League last week.

True-Poe passed Wilson-Norris

for four points.
Allen True put down a 39 scratch score . . . Jim Wilson, a 33 handicap tally. Jack Cowen and True parred five of the Knoxville course's holes.

League standings follow:		
Team	W	L
Cowen-O'Neal	22	8
Ball-Leach	20	4
Norris-Smeltzer	14	16
True-Poe	14	22
Hensley-Tharp	11	13
Troutman-Chitwood	11	19
Wilson-Norris	10	20

# Recreation



Saturday, August 23 GOLF TOURNAMENT: 7 a.m. Whittle Springs Golf Course,

Knoxville.

Monday, August 25
SOFTBALL LEAGUE: 6:15,
7:30, 8:45 p.m. Pinewood Park.
NC Squad vs. Braves; Eagles vs. Buccaneers; 69ers vs. Beta 2 Mi-

VOLLEYBALL: 7 p.m. Informal play. New Jefferson Junior High School.

Tuesday, August 26

SOFTBALL LEAGUE: 6:15, 7:30, 8:45 p.m. Pinewood Park. Play-Off games as needed.

Wednesday, August 27 VOLLEYBALL: 7 p.m. Informal play. New Jefferson Junior

High School.

MELTON HILL GOLF
LEAGUE: After work, Melton
Hill Golf Course, Clinton.

Thursday, August 28 SOFTBALL LEAGUE: 6:15, 7:30, 8:45 p.m. Pinewood Park. Bat Boys vs. All Stars; Show Ups vs. Go Go Gophers; Y-12 Snakes vs. Big Shops (FINAL GAMES OF SEASON!)

HORSESHOE LEAGUE: 7 p.m. City Courts, Jackson Square.

COMING SOON

Mixed Bowling League: Wed-

nesday, September 3. Classic Bowling League, Thurs-

day, September 4. Bowling League, Monday, September 8.

# Reed-Stephens Grab Horseshoe Top Spot

Y-12ers Reed and Stephens grabbed a lead in the Horseshoe Pitching League by taking a fullcount win over Gray-Copeland. Case-Allmond took eight points from Helms-Fowler.

Wyatt-Wagner posted a five-point win over Nichols-Norris.

League standings follow:	
Team	w
Reed-Stephens	9
Case-Allmon	13
Nichols-Norris	13
Wyatt-Wagner	9
Durham-Harness	5
Helms-Fowler	5
Gray-Copeland	0
Bailey-Luckett	0



THE ALL STARS ARE ALL SMILES for picture-taking at the Softball League's Pinewood Park. They are, from left on the first row, Ben Adkins, Dale Legg, Dick Graham, and I. W. Jeter. In the back are Tom Peters, Lewis Alley, Bob Belt and R. D. Dobbs. Ken Self, manager, and Colon McCarty, assistant manager, weren't around when the camera was passed

#### Deer Season Given, Opening November 22

The Game and Fish Commission has divided Tennessee into three groups, in assigning deer season this year. We are in Group A, or everything from the North Carolina line over to Highway 27, which enters Tennessee in Scott County and progresses through Morgan, Roane, Rhea and Hamilton counties. Our season will be for 10 days consecutively beginning November 22 through December 1.

All big game hunts on wildlife management areas will cost \$5 per hunt.

## BE PREPARED

Ancient Roman emperors used to have asbestos material woven into burial robes.

NO, IT ISN'T HEIDI and her grand-pop . . . it's C. A. Franklin, Weld Shop, and his son Jim. They are photographed in costume for the Rockwood Centennial which was celebrated last June, when a lot of Y-12ers got active in the festivities. Franklin states that many of his friends wanted to see him with the beard, and since he has shaved it off, it is easier to have the picture run than it is to grow another one. It took him 23 weeks to grow the above mop . . . and besides his wife objects!

# Snakes Cut Colts Down To Size Practically Nailing Down 2nd Place

Two forfeits began the Softball | Neal Noland nailed a four-bag-League play last week as the Bat ger down for the losers. Boys took an automatic win from League standings follow: the Beta 4 Astros. The Yankees dittoed by the A-Wingers.

Tuesday saw the Braves beat the K-25 Gashouse Gang easily 21 to 8. Jim Milligan touched four bases on one hit for the winners . . Wayne Langenburg for the

The Eagles put the 69ers down 12 to 2 in Tuesday's other game. Don Ferree and Trig Myhre poled homers.

The Show-Ups showed . . . the J-Birds didn't . . . so that gives the SU's a win, naturally!

The Buccaneers belted the Go Go Gophers 12 to 5 in Thursday's eye-opener. Jim Turner turned four bases for a homer for the losing Gophers.

The second game of Thursday was the big game of the week, as the Snakes took charge of action to put the K-25 Colts down 6 to 3, giving them the undisputed title for second place.

Phil Mason was the big hero with a homer for the Snakes while Wes Peters clouted one for the losing squad.

The NC Squad finished action

Thursday by trouncing the Beta 2 Miners 23 to 11 . . . with Ron Marcum, Jim Snyder and Lee Wickham all gaining homers.

# Goss-Stanton Put SW Point On Ice

The Goss-Stanton twosome stretched their lead in the South west Point Golf League last week with a four-pointer over Jones-Morgan.

The biggest win of the week went to Smith-Henderson over Argo-Groppe. Mee-Wright also scored four past Bolt-Bush.

Bill Mee scored a 37 for low of the week on the Watts Bar greens.

League standings follow: Team Goss-Stanton Smith-Henderson Jones-Morgan Bolt-Bush Mee-Wright Argo-Groppe

	Team	W	1
1	Braves	15	(
	Snakes	14	1
ĸ.		13	2
	Colts	12	- 4
	All tSars	10	4
	K-25 Gashouse Gang	9	. 6
	69ers	9	
5	J-Birds, K-25	8	7
	Buccaneers	8	7
,	NC Squad	8	7
	Yankees	7	
,	Big Shops	5	9
	Show Line	. 5	10
	Go Go Gophers	4	11
1	Bat Boys	4	11
L	A Wingers	3	13
	Beta 2 Miners	1	13
į.	Beta 4 Astros	0	16

#### **G&F Makes Changes** In Squirrel Season

An important change is noted in the squirrel season this year. According to the Game and Fish Commission, due to the decreased population of these animals from a lack of food last year, both the season and limit have been reduced. The squirrel season opens Saturday, August 30 and will continue through November 15. The daily bag limit will be four, with a possession limit of eight.

#### R. Greene Spoke To Local Optimists

R. F. Greene, Design Engineering, one of the members of the engineering team that designed the Apollo moonbox, spoke to a combined meeting of the Clinton and Claxton Optimist Clubs, August 11, in Clinton.

Greene's topic was "Y-12's Contribution to the Apollo Program."

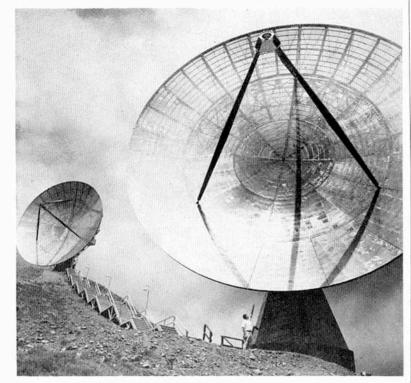
#### BOWLING BEGINS

Bowlers beware . . . the 1969 season is about ready to open. The Classic League rolls its first balls Thursday, September 4 . . . while the Mixed League kicks off Wednesday, September 3.

The C League is the last one "in" kicking-off Monday, Septem-

L "in" kicking-off M ber 8.

The C and Class p.m. . . . the Mix all at Ark Lanes. The C and Classic bowl at 5:45 p.m. . . . the Mixed at 8 p.m. . . .



RADIO ASTRONOMY ANTENNAE or "dishes" located about 13 miles north of Boulder, Colorado, part of the new satellite technology which will be reported on 'The 21st Century' episode 'Eye in the Sky' in color on the CBS Television Network Sunday, August 24, at 6 p.m., EDT, carried here by WBIR-TV, Channel 10. Walter Cronkite is principal reporter for the series which is sponsored in the public interest by Union Carbide Corporation.

# 'Eye In The Sky' Episode On TV Sunday For Carbide's 21st Century

Sunday, August 24 at 6 p.m. EDT, in color on the CBS Television Network. The program is carried in this area by WBIR-TV, Channel 10. Walter Cronkite is principal reporter for the series which is sponsored in the public interest by Union Carbide Corporation.

"Satellites not only allow us to look at the earth with a closer eye," says Cronkite, "They are causing a communications revolution."

Cronkite also notes, "From eyes in the sky, may come the knowledge needed to relieve hunger in the world.'

In addition to various types of communications satellites that link the world with video communications, other applications of satellite technology which will be

"Eye in the Sky," a report on shown include special airborne satellite technology, will be shown on "The 21st Century" detect iron, nickel and asbestos detect iron, nickel and asbestos and other instrument eves which can detect radioactive elements such as Uranium and Potassium.

A special camera developed by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration with the potential capability of inventorying the agricultural, biological and mineral resources of the earth will also be shown.

"Eye in the Sky," was written by Fred Warshofsky, science editor for "The 21st Century;" Isaac Kleinerman is producer, Burton Benjamin is executive producer.

"Eye in the Sky" Sunday at 6 p.m., EDT, over WBIR-TV, Chan-



Summer picks up its pace as the days grow shorter toward autumn. Congratulations to the following Y-12ers who mark important days with Union Carbide Corporation.

25 YEARS

Solomon T. Burress, Buildings, Grounds and Maintenance Shops, August 21.

Edward K. DeLong, Research Services, August 21.

Willie Gibson, Building Services Department, August 22.

Theodore P. Sprague, Chemistry Development, August 22.

George B. Lockhart, Product Engineering, August 24. James B. Mangrum, H-1 Foun-

dry, August 24. Willie J. Wiggins, Utilities Administration, August 24.

Lee R. Bailey, Utilities Administration, August 25.

Burwell B. Bell Jr., Engineering Division, August 25.

Leo A. Thometz, General Machine Shop, August 26.

Taylor L. McCreary, Research

Services, August 26. 10 YEARS

Howard A. Price, Dispatching Department, August 22. 15 YEARS

Edmund D. Bores, Area Five Maintenance, August 20. Edward C. Hightower, Process

Analysis, August 23. Jack D. Stalsworth, Machine

Maintenance, August 23.
Arver G. Steele Jr., General

Machine Shop, August 23. Olin T. McDaniel Jr., General Machine Shop, August 23.

Jasper B. Fincher Jr., 9766 Ma-

chine Shop, August 23.
Charles W. Catlett, Production Assay, August 23.

Charles H. Curtis, Tool Engineering, August 24.

#### GENERATION GAP

As soon as you leave your teens. your fads begin looking just as silly as your parents said they did.



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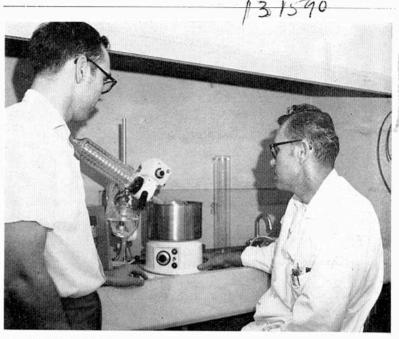
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N. J. WILLIAMS, left, and R. E. Thornton, plant laboratory begin an analysis of a quantity of moonbox residue by reducing it to a more concentrated form. This is followed by infrared spectroscopy and gas chromatography analytical techniques.



Rider wanted from Clinton to East, North or Central Portal, straight day. M. L. Petty, plant phone 3-7650, home phone Clinton

Ride wanted from South Knoxville to North Portal, straight day. Safety is costless - Until it's G. T. Grab, plant phone 3-5415, home phone Knoxville 577-2698.

# Improper Material **Handling Cited**

Records compiled by the National Safety Council show that nearly one-fourth of all serious occupational injuries result from the manual handling of materials.

The Council - which has been involved with the prevention of industrial accidents for more than 50 years - lists the following unsafe work practices that have led to manual handling injuries:

- · Placing fingers or hands at pinch points while moving objects.
- · Gripping objects improperly, allowing them to fall or slip.
- · Carrying too heavy a load.
- · Failing to wear safety shoes.
- · Lifting in an awkward position, or lifting with the back instead of using the leg muscles.
- Failure to use cranes, hoists and elevators provided for the job.
- · Failing to wear proper protective gloves or to use hand guards for sharp-edged items.
- Loosening coils or cutting taut binding wire, metal straps, or cable without wearing face protection.
- Working in cluttered, cramped quarters.

#### Air Separation Plant Set Near Winnipeg

Union Carbide Canada is planning a huge air separation plant near Winnepeg. To cost approximately \$2 million, the plant is expected to be the largest liquid nitrogen, oxygen, and argon plant in Canada west of Ontario. The facility is scheduled to be in operation by the end of next year. It will be in the municipality of St. Andrews, 18 miles north of Winnipeg and adjacent to Manitoba Rolling Mills, one of the larger customers to be supplied from the plant. It will have a capacity of 55 tons per days of liquid nitrogen, oxygen and argon.



A CLOSE UP OF SAFETY AWARDS to Y-12ers for their safety performance for 1968 is seen above. The awards are, at left, the Atomic Energy Commission's Award of Honor . . . Union Carbide's Distinguished Safety Performance award, center; and the National Safety Council's Award of Honor.

# What The Awards Were Won For!

The Awards of Honor here and Award for Distinguished Safety Performance are the highest awards given for outstanding safety achievement by the Atomic Energy Commission, National Safety Council, and Union Carbide Corporation.

The AEC Award of Honor is for the prevention of disabling injuries, with outstandingly effective results for a continuous period of not less than 30 days with an accumulation of man-hours not less than the minimum required of organization in a respective

The National Safety Council's Award of Honor is presented for a perfect record of 3,000,000 or more man-hours without a disabling injury, or the award is given automatically if the record covers an entire calendar year.

Union Carbide Corporation's Award for Distinguished Safety Performance—this award can be obtained for a record of 4,000,000 or more employee hours worked without a disabling injury, or a full calendar year. Only nine of these have been given by UCC. six of which were awarded to Oak Ridge installations!